

WAR NEWS

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German Attempt to Work Around the Allies' Left Has Failed—French General Staff Deny Claims Put Forth by Vienna Says Lemberg is Evacuated—Russians May be Confronting Their Forces For Supreme Struggle Along Vistula—South African Revolution Now Said to be Much Less Serious Than at First Feared

By Bulletin Leased Wire.
LONDON, Oct. 14, 1914 (p.m.)—While it is fully expected that the Germans will reach Courtrai and other points in the northwest of Belgium, it is not expected that they will be met with a very serious resistance in their effort to extend their advance. It is believed that the French army, having in fact, fallen back in this line in the face of the enemy's advance, a few days ago, the German army was feeling as far west as Hainault and Chateau-Thierry, according to the French official communication, that issued this afternoon. The front of this battle extended from La Fère, through Reims, to the Belgian frontier, while across the border, the allies have been fighting for the allies, and shows that the French army is not yet ready to attempt to work around their left, but that the German right, being turned toward Lille and Courtrai, both of which places the allies are holding with strong forces.

Scene of Heavy Conflict.
It is clear that the heavy blows, both sides will bring about a decisive result, in the coming days. The battle will be decided, and it is for this reason that the Germans will be able to make their way to Ostend, although even there some troops have been left to protect what remains of the city. The French have prohibited the movement of the operations to the north of Arras, which is probably the only place for the battle that the allies can win. It is believed that the Germans are in a position to make their way to Ostend, although even there some troops have been left to protect what remains of the city. The French have prohibited the movement of the operations to the north of Arras, which is probably the only place for the battle that the allies can win.

German Claims Denied.
For the first time, however, the French general staff have denied the German claims put forth by the press. It is believed that the French army divisions have been driven back, and that the German army is now in a position to make their way to Ostend, although even there some troops have been left to protect what remains of the city. The French have prohibited the movement of the operations to the north of Arras, which is probably the only place for the battle that the allies can win.

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THE PRICE OF SUGAR TAKES ANOTHER JUMP IN EASTERN CANADA

By Bulletin Leased Wire.
OTTAWA, Oct. 14.—(Announced)—It is now held that sugar has taken another jump in price. It is now selling at 8 cents per pound retail, the lower price being 7 cents per pound. The price of sugar has been rising steadily since the beginning of the war, and is now at its highest point.

OFFICIAL REPORTS

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ESTIMATED SURPLUS FOR ALBERTA IN 1915 FIXED AT \$1,176,967

Provincial Treasurer Hon. C. R. Mitchell Tabled Estimates For Coming Year in Legislature Yesterday Afternoon—Estimated Total Receipts \$8,952,062, and Estimated Total Expenditure \$7,775,095

The estimates of receipts and expenditures for the province of Alberta for the year 1915 were tabled in the legislature yesterday afternoon by Hon. C. R. Mitchell, provincial treasurer, and show an estimated surplus of receipts over expenditures of \$1,176,967. The total estimated receipts for the year 1915 are \$8,952,062, and the estimated expenditures are \$7,775,095. The total estimated surplus is \$1,176,967.

	1914	1915
Public debt, amount to be voted	125,000	8,425,000
Legislation	44,900	814,000
Public works, chargeable to income	128,225	121,000
Public works, chargeable to capital	782,170	119,000
Education, chargeable to income	589,220	574,000
Education, chargeable to capital	2,064,100	2,064,100
Agricultural statistics, chargeable to income	11,130	74,000
Agricultural statistics, chargeable to capital	900,000	900,000
Hospitals, charities, and public health	177,000	163,000
Telephone, chargeable to income	700,000	1,000,000
Telephone, chargeable to capital	442,000	310,000
Municipal affairs	14,840	41,000
Miscellaneous	1,000	11,000
Total	\$7,775,095	\$8,425,100

ESTIMATED REVENUE:

	1914	1915
Estimated balances, 1914	1,584,939	1,584,939
Domestic postage	1,584,939	1,584,939
Postage stamps	1,584,939	1,584,939
Treasury department	1,584,939	1,584,939
Provincial secretary's department	1,584,939	1,584,939
Legislative council	1,584,939	1,584,939
Legislative assembly (private bills)	1,584,939	1,584,939
Total	\$8,952,062	\$8,952,062

LONG DEBATE ON SUCCESSION DUTIES BILL

Measures Introduced Amending Motor Vehicles Act, Imposing Licenses on Travelling Shows—Large Number of Questions Asked by Members of Opposition

WARSAW ATTACK HURLED BACK
Battle Front Along Vistula Extends Over Distance of 300 Miles

By Bulletin Leased Wire.
WARSAW, Oct. 14.—It is reported that the first attack of the Russian army on the German army in the north toward Grodno and Minsk, which the Germans have been making since the beginning of the war, has been repulsed.

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Thursday's Bargains at the Acme Co. Sale

RETIRING From Business

The citizens of Edmonton have more than demonstrated their confidence in the Acme store in the past few days. From the day we announced the fact that Revillon Freres would retire from the retail business, and that the prices on our merchandise would be lowered and in some cases cut in half, our store has been crowded with anxious buyers—so crowded in fact that our store proved to be much too small at times to accommodate those who would help us unload this mammoth stock. We wish to thank the public generally for their liberal response, and ask all who possibly can to come in the mornings, that we may give them the best attention possible.

LOOK FOR DAILY ANNOUNCEMENT

RETIRING From Business

The Shoe Department Offers Some Extra Bargains in Misses' and Children's Wear

LOT NO. 1—Infant's Tan Ankle Strap Slippers. Sizes 2 to 5, on sale Wednesday **25c**

LOT NO. 2—Children's Brown Kid Button Boots, sizes 2 to 8, all one price Wednesday **95c**

LOT NO. 3—Misses' and Children's Felt House Slippers worth from \$1.00 to \$1.50, to be closed out at **75c**

LOT NO. 4—Misses' styles 11 to 2 Tan Button Boots, classic make, worth \$5.00 to be closed out at **\$1.50**

LOT NO. 5—Boys' High Top Calf Blue Leather Boots made with straps and buckles around top (Boy Scout make). Sizes 1 to 5½. These are the best boots on the kind in the city and sell everywhere for \$4.50. On sale Wednesday at **\$3.15**

Sizes 11 to 13, for **\$2.75**

LOT NO. 6—Boys' Tan Button and Lace Boots brand new goods and the best style. All sizes **\$1.95**

LOT NO. 7—Ladies' beautiful Satin and Velvet Evening Pumps, Colors Blue, Pink, Mauve, Yellow, White and Black. Worth \$4.00. On sale **\$2.95**

LOT NO. 8—Ladies' Tan Button and Lace Boots, both with low and high heels. All good styles and this season's goods. Worth \$4.00 to \$5.00. On **\$1.95**

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LOT NO. 9—Consisting of Ladies' Shoes sizes 2 to 4. In this lot are some of the most popular styles of the best grades to be closed out Wednesday **\$1.95**

LOT NO. 10—In this lot are hundreds of pairs of new boots in patent leather, tan, calf and grained in the most popular styles, both button and lace, plain toes and with caps, some in the new fall quarter out and circular vamp. These boots are copied from the high grade patterns and are going **\$3.60**

Here's an Interesting Bargain!

Women's Beautiful Kimonos Floral Design

79c

Women's Outing Flannel Night Gowns Mostly Large Sizes (White)

98c

Women's Black Satin Skirts Large Sizes

98c

Women's White Sweater Coats Great for Skating Values up to \$7.00 for

2.95

2.95

Flouncings, Laces, Ribbons and Hosiery on Sale Thursday—First Floor

SHADOW LACE FLOUNCING, REG. \$2.50 YR. FOR \$2.50. You know shadow lace is especially desirable. These flouncings are in some of the quantities in limited. Rich effective lace patterns and designs. 2 to 24 in. wide. Reg. \$2.50 yd. for **\$1.25**

GRIMPE LACES, REG. 25c to 60c FOR 15c. Fine grimpes lace and lace trims, ranging in width from 1-3 to 2-1/2 in. White, some or even shades. Also added to this lot are 2-1/2 inch grimpes. Reg. 25c to 60c for **15c**

A BIG RIBBON CLEARANCE, REG. 50c TO 10c FOR 10c. Almost every conceivable kind of this clearing lot of ribbon. Beautiful ribbons in other colors or silk. Also ribbons. Ribbons and all kinds of ribbons. White from 2 1/2 to 4 in. Reg. 50c to 10c for **10c**

42 IN. CHIFFONS, REG. 60c YR. FOR 30c. Rich from France comes this fine quality chiffon. All the best autumn shades are here. 42 inch wide from 2 1/2 to 4 in. Reg. 60c for **30c**

KAYSER SILK HOSIERY, REDUCED. REG. 40c to 50c FOR 25c. Here is a splendid lot of hosiery. The very best and most beautiful quality in black, navy, brown, grey, pink, white, and all colors. Reg. 40c to 50c for **25c**

ONE OF OUR FINEST SILK HOSE, 50c TO \$1.50 TO \$1.50 SILK HOSE, 50c TO \$1.50 TO \$1.50. One of our finest silk hose, beautifully fashioned and of a quality which is of the most excellent. They are in black, navy, brown, grey, pink, white, and all colors. Reg. 50c to \$1.50 for **50c**

FINE QUALITY HAIR BRUSHES, REDUCED TO EXCELLENT VALUE. We are offering a small quantity of hair brushes, but the quality is as good as the price. They are in black, navy, brown, grey, pink, white, and all colors. Reg. 50c to \$1.50 for **50c**



Ladies' Raincoats Reduced

18 Ladies' Rain Coats in serge, English trends and herringbones. Values up to \$12.00. Sale Price **\$5.95**

Women's and Boys' Hose

BOYS' HOSE All sizes are represented in this lot, knitted in a fine rib of an extra heavy yarn. A good stocking for rough, hard wear. Reg. 35c pair, **19c**

Bed Spreads, Rugs, Pillows, etc., Specially Priced for Thursday

25 colored bed spreads, light blue and pink. 25 colored bed spreads, light blue and pink. Single bed and full size, beautiful designs. Reg. 10 to 15, for **\$3.35**

40 SATIN, Pique and DAMASK BED SPREADS. Single bed and full size, beautiful designs. Reg. 10 to 15, for **\$3.35**

ROBE FLANNEL. Just received from the Deane Mills, 100 per cent heavy and flannel cloth, suitable for nightgowns for children and domestic service. Reg. 40c to 50c for **45c**

SPECIAL BARGAINS IN RUGS. Brussels Rugs in a good hard grain at three sizes and a good choice of designs. A real bargain at **\$12.50**

CHOICE DOMESTIC WILTON RUGS. In 5 sized only and a good selection. These are all high grade rugs and can be thoroughly recommended for hard wear, value and price as follows:

2 BARGAINS IN BED PILLOWS. All feather filling and good down proof safety ticking. Very clean and new. Value as in a regular way at \$2.50 per pair. **\$1.35**

ONE OF OUR FINEST PILLOWS COVERED IN FAIRY CLOTHING AND EXTRA FILL. This is our best. Only a few left to clear at, each **\$1.75**

Look for Special Announcement Sale of Children's Wear

The Acme Co. Ltd.

Stock Up on HARDWARE This Week—Special Prices

AROUND THE CITY

(From Evening Edition)

The Argonaut Social Club are entertaining their friends on Saturday night from 8 to 12 in the Regency School Hall, Third street, Larch street, will furnish the music for dancing.

John A. McDougall left this afternoon for Edmonton, where he will remain the next two weeks. Mr. McDougall was unable, before he left, to give his answer to the petition asking for his removal from the office of city clerk. This is the last link in the chain of the committee to dismiss him from the office.

J. O'Grady, superintendent of the district car service in connection with the city, passed through the city hall this morning. He is now in the city hall, where he is making arrangements for the transfer of the district car service from the city hall to the city hall.

The steamship officers in the city have been notified that the White Star liner Olympic will sail from New York on the 15th, direct to Glasgow. Owing to the war, the steamship line has been somewhat diminished and the sending of one of the largest liners in the White Star line direct to Glasgow would indicate a disposition on the part of the committee to divert the traffic as much as possible.

Superintendent Parsons, of the city police, has been notified that the city commissioners have decided to pay him a salary of \$1,000 per month, instead of \$800 per month, as he has been paid for the past few months. The city commissioners have decided to pay him a salary of \$1,000 per month, instead of \$800 per month, as he has been paid for the past few months.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1914

The reports of cabinet changes and of an impending general election without doubt have some foundation, but just how much it is not possible to say. The many varied and contradictory rumors issued in connection with the first Canadian contingent, and the indecision and delay in regard to the selection of a minister while the need of men and more men is so urgent, is unquestionable evidence of divided counsels. It could not be otherwise in view of the conditions prevailing upon the Nationalist vote of Quebec. Nationalism as expounded by Bourassa and Lavergne, Monk and Pelletier was simply anti-Canadianism, anti-militarism, which found expression in opposing the naval defence policy of the Laurier government. The Barlen policy of contribution was a compromise with the Nationalists who were willing to give money provided they were not asked to give men. Their then parliamentary leader, Mr. Monk, resigned as a protest against any form of military or naval support to the empire. When the war broke out the prime minister and a contingent was agreed to by the Nationalists although contrary to every declaration of policy upon which they had so often electioneered. They have conceded, willingly or unwillingly. Now comes the question of a second contingent and beyond doubt the hesitation and delay that has already been seen because of the fact that such action would still more hopelessly compromise the Nationalist members of the government and their supporters in the House of Commons. The exchange of Pelletier for Casgrain would cure the difficulty in large measure, for the latter never identified himself with the Nationalist movement. The only question then would be to give Casgrain the post he held in the House of Commons, and, second, could Casgrain carry with him the Nationalist party in and out of the House in support of a frankly imperialist and militarist policy. If so there need not be any action, but the government would be in a more favorable position to hold an election and to hold one than it is at present. If unable to make the exchange between Pelletier and Casgrain, the government might be compelled to hold an election and hold one in the best position for doing so.

While the banks have been the subject of a great deal of public criticism, the financial stringency set in, they are not the only "kings of finance" who are fairly bringing themselves under the scrutiny of public criticism. The banks always have the excuse for any hardship they place upon their customers that they are operating with the money of depositors, whose interests must always be protected at any and every cost. The action of the banks has been on the avowed principle of "safety first." The loan companies are not in the same position as the banks. They are, or are supposed to be, operating with their own money and only lend on absolute security.

If, therefore, they are not to be extortioned they cannot shelter themselves from public criticism by any plea of the protection of innocent third parties. The following letter from the loan company to a client throws a lurid light on the action taken by at least some of the loan companies,

and the letter of Premier Sifton to the company shows what the "kings of finance" of Alberta are in regard to their responsibilities in the matter.

"Dear Sir:—We have your letter of the 26th inst. regarding renewal of your loan. The Company would be willing to renew for a further term of three or five years at the advanced rate of 9 per cent, on account of the present financial conditions they can easily loan all their money at this or a higher rate of interest. We are on Extension Agreement will be \$10.00."

"Kindly let us know for what term you would like loan renewed, if this is satisfactory, and we will prepare papers and forward to you for your signature."

"Yours truly,"

"Edmonton, October 14, 1914"

"A letter of yours, of which copy is hereto attached, has undoubtedly been placed in my hands."

"Will you kindly draw the attention of those in authority in connection with your loan company to the fact that careful examination will be made of the conditions similar to the one outlined in your letter, and if it is found that any Loan Company doing business in the Province of Alberta makes use of the money of the people for the purpose of renewing loans for long terms at advanced rates of interest, you may rest assured that means will be found to prevent these particular Loan Companies from doing any further business in the Province of Alberta."

"Yours very truly,"

"ARTHUR L. SIFTON."

Evidently the people of Alberta are in earnest on this "loan" question.

An Ottawa dispatchmaker says it is now felt at headquarters that "men who are perfected in the use of the bayonet before taking the field are far more secure from successful cavalry attack than men who have not been trained in this 'loose' method."

The city council have decided to get the Rice street market out of business on November 5th. That happens to be Guy Fawkes day, associated in history with an equally indefensible plot against public safety, interests and rights. It also is just about a month before the owners and patrons of the market will have an opportunity to nominate five aldermen and a mayor pledged to restore the market, and to oust the civic business generally with a wholesome regard for the humble but necessary individual who pays the taxes.

The second contingent will not be trained at Valerius. The regiments will be drilled at the various recruiting points, and sent to England for training together as an army corps. Thus, it is pointed out, will give the officers of the various units a larger share in the work of creating the units than was given them in the organization of the first contingent. Instead of the headquarters staff trying to handle all the details, which was left to the local commanding officers, the officers will accordingly gain experience and a measure of distinction which did not come the way of the fellow officers of the first contingent.

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before the country to require or justify an appeal for a verdict from the voters and Parliament, having yet two years to run, an election now could have no other motive than the suspicion of the Nationalists that their chances of getting re-elected will be poorer at any time within the next two years than they are now.

Representatives of the great cotton industry of England fear a breakdown of the industry, owing to the weakened market for their goods and raw materials, consequent on the depression of prices. They propose that the British and United States governments buy up the surplus raw cotton on the market, thus saving the planters from bankruptcy and assuring a crop next year. This they claim would also tend to fix the present prices of cotton goods, and so save the manufacturing industry from temporary ruin. The exercise of governmental authority and the use of public money in this way would be a new experiment in the way of trade regulation.

But the cotton manufacturing business is one from which millions of people in England get their living, while the cotton growers of the world are of comparatively small importance in the United States. The experiment may therefore be tried.

Correspondence

APPEAL ON BEHALF OF CHILDREN'S SHELTER

Editor Bulletin:—I would appreciate it very greatly if you could find space for a notice in your paper regarding the Children's Shelter. It is very necessary that the needs of the children in this city should be known to the public, as we have a great many to deal with and people are doing their utmost to help. The shelter is a very small building, situated in the city, and is now in a very poor state of repair. The following is a report of the shelter, as given by the children who are in it. The shelter is a very small building, situated in the city, and is now in a very poor state of repair. The following is a report of the shelter, as given by the children who are in it.

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Coming Events

"Notions under the tree" will be published free.

Thursday, Oct. 15—Annual thank-offering meeting of Women's Missionary Auxiliary of Knox Church at 7:30.

Edmonton, October 12.

Military Matters

COACHMEN HOLD EXERCISES

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You Can Purchase New Millinery Shapes at Almost Half Their Value Thursday \$3.50

YOU'LL WANT TO SEE THESE TRIM NEW HAT SHAPES—Turban styles, drooping brims, dome crowns and high side bands, in tan, green, navy, purple, blue and black; also trimmed black facings, with colored under brims and crowns. These are of the finest quality—untrimmed. Value \$6.00, Thursday and until all are sold, each..... \$3.50

SOFT DOVE BANDEAUX
 Soft, perfectly shaped feathers, each fastened securely to make a very durable trimming. Colors white, black, red, green and tan. Value to \$4.00. Thursday..... \$2.00

CHILDREN'S HATS
 Children's well fitting neatly trimmed rolled brim. Felt Hats. In all colors. Value to \$1.00. Thursday..... \$1.00

Heavy Grey Wool Blankets of Ample Proportion
 JUST RIGHT FOR THE COMING COLD WEATHER—They are made of specially selected wool in a nice silver grey, with heavy napped woolly worsted. Size 68x84. Value to \$10.00. Thursday..... \$5.95

SPECIAL NOTE!
 A NUMBER OF SAMPLE PAIRS OF BLANKETS Old numbers we are dropping out of stock, also a few pairs slightly shop soiled, made of good pure wool, ranging in price, per pair, from..... \$4.00 to \$8.50. These values are distinctly worth considering.

Of specially good color and absolutely pure in quality. Extra strong in wear and a good size; pink and blue borders. Size 68x84 inches. Per pair..... \$1.50

DOUBLE WARP SHEETING
 Made of superior long stapled yarn, guaranteed to give the utmost satisfaction. This is the best make of sheeting procurable at a reasonable price. 72 inches wide. Value to \$1.00. Thursday..... 45c

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